

## REMARKS

The Declaration was said to be defective, as it was said to be illegible and that the identity of the foreign application was incorrect.

Another copy of the Declaration is submitted with this Amendment. The identity of the foreign application from which the subject application claims priority is PCT Application No. PCT/GB97/01513, filed June 4, 1997. This is the foreign application that is identified in the Declaration. Thus, the identity of the foreign application in the Declaration is correct.

Claim 5 was objected to as being in improper form for failing to further limit the subject matter of a previous claim. Claims 4-10 were objected to as being in improper form because of multiple dependent claim 3.

Claims 1-10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112 as indefinite.

Claim 1 has been cancelled. The remaining claims have been amended. Additionally, claims 11-14 have been added. It is respectfully submitted that these amendments eliminate the objections and the rejections raised by the examiner.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that all the claims are now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, allowance of the claims at the earliest possible date is requested.

If prosecution of this application can be assisted by telephone, the Examiner is requested to call Applicants' undersigned attorney at (510) 495-3206.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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